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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	798780	116.22	-3.16
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	257283	130.71	-0.43
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	2700443	141.58	-2.69
120	Brisket	6-14	1360408	113.74	-1.60
123A	Short Rib	1-4	211206	106.84	1.32
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	30129	135.03	-0.86
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	246474	142.80	-1.06
168	Inside Round	14-26	1392096	143.74	0.40
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	164369	139.33	0.19
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		2467917	128.39	1.72
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		92975	149.67	3.08
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			140.14	2.08
	Top Inside Round	12-16		184.56	-3.65
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		1712196	139.49	-0.20
	50% Chemical Lean		5971262	58.14	-7.89

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 lbs/dn	6.5	120.38	--
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10 lbs	17.5	91.20	0.51
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	2.0	128.50	6.15
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	10.0	69.70	0.70
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	26.0	70.42	--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	4.0	99.00	2.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	0.0	0.00	--
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		4.0	72.00	0.00
72% Chemical Lean		10.5	65.76	2.23

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



**Dairy Market News  
Madison, WI  
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**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.6475-1.7175	1.6525-1.7225

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.5125-1.9700	1.5000-1.9700

**Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 19-Aug-05**

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, August

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.1780	-0.0636	-0.0206

**Broiler/Fryers**

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered  
New York 69.56 Chicago 67.83 Los Angeles 80.48

**Parts Bulk**

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound  
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 132.32 Leg Quarters 45.79  
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 130.97 Leg Quarters 44.28

**Young Turkeys**

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered  
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs  
Eastern 75.90 74.50  
Central 75.50 74.00  
Western 75.70 74.50

**Table Eggs**

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen  
Northeast 46.00 Metropolitan Areas  
Southeast 44.50 New York 58.00-62.00  
Midwest 35.50 Chicago & MW 40.00-49.00  
S. Central 47.50 S. California 64.00-67.00

**Egg Products**

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Tucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound  
Whole 27.00-30.50 Whites 13.00-15.00 Yolks 52.50-57.00  
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb  
Whole Eggs Whites  
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 41.00-45.00 36.00-47.00  
Central 35.00-37.00 30.00-32.00  
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 40.00-43.00 36.00-39.00  
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)  
Whole 1.18-1.45 Yolks 1.26-1.45 Blends 1.18-1.55



**Fruit & Vegetable Market News  
Washington, DC  
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**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFcy, Containers Tray Pack, 100s Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA controlled atmosphere storage 10.50  
Pears, Bartlett, USOne, 4/5 bushel carton (44lb) wrapped, Sacramento And San Joaquin Valley, CA 21.00  
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville CA 9.40  
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 113s, Central & South District CA 8.50  
Peaches, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties CA Well Matured cartons 2 layer traypack, Central and South San Joaquin Valley  
40-42 size 12.00  
48-50 size 11.00

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 7.78  
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.85  
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, Santa Maria CA 5.10  
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 4.80  
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 11/9 bushel cartons, large, Michigan San Joaquin Valley CA 7.60  
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, U.S. One, 25 lb. Cts, 6x6, Eastern TN 5.18  
Central District CA large 8.00  
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb Sacks, San Joaquin Valley, CA 6.70  
Southern NM 7.50  
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 9.00  
11.00

**Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.**